

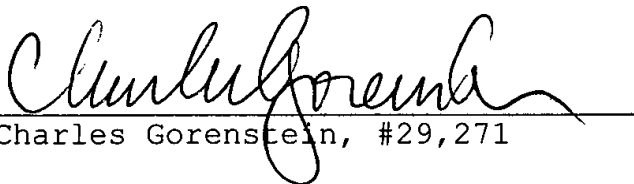
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Applicant: Eiji YANAGAWA et al. Conf.: 4277
Appl. No.: 09/820,671 Group: 2815
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Sir:
In reply to the Office Action dated March 31, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:
Claim Set as Amended; and
Remarks.

The amendments presented herein comply with the "Revised Amendment Format" as set forth in the Official Gazette Notice dated February 25, 2003. In accordance with the Notice, the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(a)-(d) are waived.